

The Union.

JUNCTION, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1861.

Junction City Post Office.
ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF THE MAIL.
Leavenworth, Atchison, and Eastern—Arrives Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, 8 P. M.
Departure—Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 6 A. M.
Marysville and Northern—Arrives Thursday, 8 P. M.
Departure Monday, 6 A. M.
Council Grove and Southern—Arrives Monday, 8 P. M.
Departure Monday, 6 A. M.
Wabunsa and Topeka—Arrives Tuesday, 8 P. M.
Departure Monday, 6 A. M.
Solomon City and Western—Arrives Tuesday, 6 P. M.
Departure Wednesday, 6 A. M.
Office open from 6 A. M. to 9 P. M. Sunday, 8 to 9 A. M., and 5 to 6 P. M.
S. M. STRICKLER, P. M.

CITY FACTS AND FANCIES

Religious Notice.
ELDER PARDEE BUTLER, will commence a protracted meeting in Junction City, Thursday evening, at seven o'clock. Services will be held in Taylor's Hall. The public are respectfully invited.
—Preaching will continue every evening until further notice.

Cotton has been grown in Wyandott county, in this State.

Fort Riley is now garrisoned by a volunteer company from Atchison, under command of Captain Graham.

In our last report of the "Reception Supper," last week, we omitted to mention the name of Mr. John F. Schmidt, as one who contributed material aid to the procuring, preparing, and arranging of the supper. Indeed, Mr. S. was untiring in his exertions to have the affair worthy of the boys, a fact which our volunteers will long remember.

We learn from our fellow townsman, Mr. John Gross, that the Catholic Church intend soon to erect an edifice in Junction City for the accommodation of the many adherents of that faith in Western Kansas. The Rev. L. Dumortier, of St. Mary's Mission, is the direct representative of that Church in this section, and the above information is derived from him. It will doubtless be commenced this fall or winter.

It is with much pleasure that we chronicle the return to Junction of Robert Melbratney, Esq., Register of this Land District. His rather protracted absence has been occasioned by the delay consequent upon the preparation necessary to remove his family and goods from Atchison to this city. Mr. Melbratney will be warmly greeted in this community, as aside from the many admirable social qualities of which he is possessed, he is a pillar of strength to the Union cause in Western Kansas.

Mr. Editor—It is stated that a small party of secessionists left the vicinity of Fort Riley about two weeks ago for Arkansas, and that one of the party, (from this vicinity,) being belated, engaged a conveyance near the Fort, and a driver, to overhaul the precious load, that they might all journey together. Will the Democratic candidate for County Clerk give us the facts in the matter, if in his possession?

We have heard from reliable authority, that the rebel General Raines has declared his intention of quartering at Fort Riley the coming Winter, with 10,000 rebel troops. It is suspected that information respecting the defenceless condition of the Fort and of the people of this section of the State, has been and is constantly being conveyed to the traitors in Missouri. The late mail carrier between Fort Riley and Council Grove, (now, we believe, in Arkansas,) informed a citizen of this county that the rebels in Missouri are thoroughly informed of the chorography of this part of Kansas, and could and would carry out their plan of occupying this Fort. The report has considerable plausibility, and we warn our loyal people to be vigilant. Let the treacherous knaves who are engaged in the fiendish employment of betraying us into the power of our enemies, be ferreted out and gibbeted.

As we had predicted, the Union Military Ball, given by Co. G, 2nd Infantry, at Fort Riley last Saturday evening, was a fine affair. It far surpassed everything of the kind we have before witnessed in Western Kansas. The ball room was tastefully decorated with the arms and paraphernalia of the company. The bright, glittering muskets were artistically arrayed around the hall, and appropriate and patriotic mottoes were suspended from the wall. The attendance was very large, not less than seventy-five couples being present, and the utmost harmony and good feeling prevailed. The supper was excellent, gotten up in a style that reflects much credit upon the company. Altogether, it was an occasion not soon to be forgotten by those who attended, and places company G and its gallant members high in the estimation of our citizens.

The company left for Leavenworth Tuesday morning.

GOING AGAIN.—Pursuant to an order received from headquarters, Company B, attached to the Kansas Second, left Junction last Monday for Fort Leavenworth to report. The Kansas Second is to be disbanded, and re-organized upon the French plan—16 companies of Infantry, 3 of cavalry, and one of Artillery—and a portion of the Junction boys will join the new regiment. Messrs. Beates, Stover, Speer, and perhaps some others, old soldiers now, having passed through the Missouri campaign, and fought at Springfield, will re-enlist, while the majority of our boys will return home, and spend the winter in recruiting their health, and so arranging their business as to allow of a long absence when spring comes, providing rebellion is not crushed before then. For those who now re-enlist in the glorious cause we have no fears but that they will conduct themselves as true soldiers, and reflect credit upon the gallantry of our section of the State.

A NEW HAND AT THE BELLOWS.—The old established firm of N. S. Ransohoff & Co., long and favorably known in Western Kansas, have closed out their business in this section of our State, and severed themselves entirely from the mercantile interests of Davis county. They are succeeded by a deservedly worthy and popular gentleman, eminently fitted for the calling, and every way capable of sustaining the good name and excellent business reputation of the retiring firm. Mr. Henry Ganz is their successor, and we believe we say no more than will meet with the approbation of our trading community, when we concede to Henry all those qualities necessary for a popular, efficient, and successful merchant. From long experience in business, and a residence of years in our county, he undoubtedly understands fully the wants of our community, and will labor assiduously to supply them. Henry's established reputation for honesty, strict attention to business, affability, and courteous conduct, will insure his complete success. In another column will be found a card from the firm, also one from Mr. Ganz, announcing the arrival of New Goods, Groceries, Provisions, Clothing, &c. We believe news goods will be eagerly sought after at this time.

On Wednesday the main body of the regular troops from Fort Fillmore, New Mexico, passed through Junction en route for Fort Leavenworth, under command of Major Lines. It will be remembered that Fort Fillmore was surrendered to the rebels some time since by Major Lines, and the whole command under him taken prisoners, but were subsequently released after taking an oath to fight no more against rebellion. At that time it was charged that Major Lines was guilty of complicity with the rebels, and from what we glean of the soldiers we are of the opinion that the charge is correct. The circumstances attending the surrender all go to prove that the whole affair was a miserable trick. Major Lines had been instructed to destroy the Fort and everything which would afford the least benefit to the traitors, but instead thereof he refused to allow a thing to be destroyed. The soldiers were anxious to burn the tents, but Major Lines would not permit of it. A large quantity of revolvers, ready loaded, were secreted in a sandbank near at hand by some of the men, the precise location of which was known to the rebels the moment they took possession of the Fort. In order that the surrender might be made complete, and no doubt fearing that his rascality would be observed, the Major sent several companies a mile or so from the Fort, and then run up the white flag. If these charges are proven, Major Lines surely deserves a traitor's doom.

Gen. Fremont has been notified to discontinue his fortifications at Jefferson City, and at St. Louis. He has also been informed that the officers appointed by him would not be paid. There is over two hundred of them whose commissions do not bear the President's signature.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.
Mr. Editor—At the request of many citizens of this Judicial District, I present my name as a candidate for the office of District Attorney, at the coming election. L. McARTHUR.
Mr. Editor—Please announce the name of Uzal Williams as a candidate for the office of Probate Judge for Dickinson County, and oblige, n4 MANY CITIZENS.
Mr. Editor—Please announce the name of Green Lamb as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for Dickinson county, and oblige, n4 MANY CITIZENS.
EDITOR UNION—Please announce through your columns that I present my name to the voters of Davis County as a candidate for the office of Sheriff. MATTHEW BECKERS.
In compliance with the wishes of many of the voters of Davis county, expressed since the recent nominating convention, I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of Register of Deeds for said county. n4 N. S. GILBERT.
In compliance with the wishes of many of my friends and voters of Davis county, I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of said county. JOHN P. WILKY.
ED. UNION—At the request of many friends, I present my name to the voters of Davis county, as a candidate for the office of Sheriff. JOHN SANDERSON.

Dickinson County Union Ticket.
Probate Judge—R. H. HUNT.
County Commissioners—WILLIAM LAMB, E. W. BRADFIELD, WILLIAM MOLLHAGEN.
Sheriff—J. W. LAMB.
Treasurer—CHRISTIAN HOFFMAN.
Register of Deeds—J. L. SWINSON.
County Clerk—AUGUSTUS RUBIN.
County Assessor—F. STAATZ.

New Advertisements.
A CARD.
We respectfully inform the people of Junction City and surrounding country that we have sold out our entire stock of goods to Mr. Henry Ganz, and hereby tender our thanks to all our friends and the community for the liberal patronage we have enjoyed, and bespeak the same for our successor in business.
N. S. RANSOHOFF & CO.

A CARD
To the Citizens of Davis and adjoining Counties:
Having purchased all the right, title and interest of the firm of N. S. Ransohoff & Co., in Junction City, I deem it necessary that I should acquaint the trading community of the fact, and assure the patrons of the old firm and the people generally of my intention to sustain unsullied the excellent business character which the retiring gentlemen have always borne in this community. From a lengthy experience in the trade in Western Kansas, I believe I am qualified to supply the wants of the trading people in this section. I have just received a fresh supply of Groceries, Provisions, Clothing and other articles from the River, to which I invite attention. The public generally are cordially invited to call and inspect. n61f HENRY GANZ.

WOOD & MAKEY, BLACK AND WHITE SMITHS
Junction City, Kansas.
HAVING CARRIED ON THE BUSINESS for several years in BOSTON, and having had many years' experience in Carriage manufacturing and shoeing shops and also a large experience on breaking plows, would announce to the surrounding country that he is now fully prepared to do all kinds of work, such as HORSE-SHOING, IRONING WAGONS, BUGGIES AND SHAYS, FORGING OF MACHINERY, EITHER BY DRAUGHT OR PATERN, FOR CORN, FLOURING, OR SAW-MILLS, on the shortest possible notice.
All work warranted, and done on the most reasonable terms. Produce taken as payment.
Gunsmithing.
In view of the uncertainty of horse-flesh, and also of the fact that Injuns and Secessionists abound in our midst, it would be useless for me to urge upon the settlers the importance of having their old shot-guns and muskets, &c., made "brass new." I therefore announce that particular attention will be paid to the repairing of all manner of FIRE-ARMS. LOCKS of all kinds repaired, and KEYS fitted.

NOTICE
The attention of all persons, who purchased portions of the estate of Louis Kettlass, deceased, and whose notes for the same I now hold, is called to the fact that said notes are due the 13th of Nov. 1861, at which time I shall expect a settlement with all parties. By prompt compliance, considerable trouble may be averted. Respectfully, CHRISTIAN WETZEL.

EDWARD W. SEYMOUR, M.D., PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, AND ACCOUCHEUR.
OFFICE, AT THE CITY DRUG STORE, Junction City, Kansas.

NEWS DEPOT!
Milton E. Clark,
AT THE POST OFFICE, KEEPS THE LEAVENWORTH, ST. LOUIS, AND NEW YORK dailies and weekly papers. ALSO, Paper, Pens, Ink, Envelopes, and Notions generally.

F. M. FLETCHER, CARPENTER AND BUILDER,
Junction City, Kansas.
WILL ATTEND TO THE ERECTION OF all kinds of Buildings with neatness and dispatch. PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS furnished.
TERMS—To suit the "HARD TIMES."

Frank Jehle, BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,
CORNER WASHINGTON & 7th STREETS, Junction City, Kansas.
REPAIRING done on short notice. TERMS CASH. n21f

S. B. WHITE, ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS.
WILL PROMPTLY ATTEND TO ALL business entrusted to his care in Western Kansas. n1f

GROSS & THIELE, MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of FURNITURE,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS.
COFFINS made with neatness and dispatch. MATTRESSES of all kinds constantly on hand. All orders filled on short notice.

M. BECKERS, House, ORNAMENTAL PAINTER,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS.

Notice.
CALL and SETTLE!
ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ME BY note or book account, will please call and settle without delay, and save costs. I will take in payment FAT CATTLE at the market price.
Persons having cattle that they will sell for notes against good men, or goods out of my store, can find a market for them with the undersigned.
ROBERT WILSON, Post Sattler, Fort Riley.

THE OLDEST ESTABLISHED TRADING DEPOT IN Western Kansas!

THE SUTLER'S STORE,
Fort Riley, Kansas.
IS NOW RECEIVING ITS FALL AND Winter supplies, direct from St. Louis, consisting of every imaginable thing in the line of Groceries and Provisions, DRY GOODS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, TINWARE, WOODENWARE, THE GOLD MINES!

The proprietor flatters himself that he can furnish any and everything needed by Pike's Peakers, at as cheap rates as they can be had in Leavenworth, Kansas City, or St. Joseph. Make a note of it, that

Whole Outfits
Can be procured at Fort Riley as low as at the Missouri River towns, and the purchaser saves **ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY MILES FREIGHTAGE!**
Sutler's Store, Ft. Riley, Kansas.
ROBERT WILSON, Proprietor.

City Bakery,
Washington Street, between 6th and 7th, JUNCTION, KANSAS, W. BECKER, Proprietor.

FAMILIES BREAD AND CAKE
Wines, Liquors, Tobacco, CIGARS AND CANDY, ALL CHEAP, n1f FOR CASH!

JAKE SMITH, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

HARDWARE, IRON, NAILS, Glass, Sash and Doors, STOVES AND TINWARE, AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

TOPEKA, KANSAS.
S. H. FLETCHER, DEALER IN

HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, AND CLOTHING,

POST OFFICE BUILDING, Topeka, Kansas.
M. K. SMITH, Dealer in

BOOTS AND SHOES
Of All Description,
From Infants' Two bit Reanos all the way up to

GENTS' PREMIUM PATENT LEATHER SEWED BOOTS!
ALSO: ALL KINDS OF **Family Groceries,**

SWEETEST SUGAR AND THE SOUREST VINEGAR!
SUGAR AT TEN CENTS, TEA AT FIFTY CENTS.

Leather and Findings ALWAYS ON HAND!
Topeka, Kansas.

CASH PAID FOR HIDES!

GRAND EXHIBITION!! GREAT NOVELTY OF THE SEASON
STREETER & STRICKLER, PROPRIETORS.
M. E. CLARK, Manager.

SECOND SEASON OF OUR ENGAGEMENT WITH THE PUBLIC!

Of the Grand Moral and Domestic Drama of **HOW TO MAKE MONEY;**

Buy Your Goods at Strickler's! Which was witnessed by over 30,000 persons last season with unbounded satisfaction.

Tuesday, September 3, 1861.
And every day until further notice, will be presented the deeply affecting and highly interesting play of

HOW TO MAKE MONEY!
with an entire change of scenery and appointments. The following are the leading incidents in the play:

SCENE—Post Office Building, Washington Street, between 7th and 8th.

Broche Shawls, Chambray, Valenciennes, Stella do Black Silks, Gingham, Wool do Fancy do Counterpanes, Cassimeres do Ladies' Cloth, Opera Hoods, Thibet do French Merinos, Cashmeres, Saxony Flannels, Opera Flannels, Paramattas, Gals do Wool Delaines, Colerages, Silk do Muslin do Alpaccas.

After which will be brought out the charming Little COMEDY OF

VARIETIES, CAST TO THE STRENGTH OF THE WHOLE COMPANY,

and in which the AUDIENCE will undoubtedly BE HIGHLY INTERESTED.

Ladies' Merino Vests, Black Cassimeres, Ladies' Scarfs, Fancy do Counterpanes, Embroidered collars, Men's Wrappers, do Hdkfs, do Drawers, do Flouncings, Kerseys, Satinets, do Insertings, Vestings, Ken's Jenns, Wool Flannels, Gloves, Mittens, Canton Flannels, Denims, Stripes, Ticks, Sheetings, Shirtings, Linsey Woolseys, Table Oil Cloths, Damasks, Tweeds, Sheep's Greys, Nankeens, Broad Cloths.

THE EXHIBITION WILL CONCLUDE WITH THE LAUGHABLE FARCE OF

STARVING KANSAS, OR HARD TIMES made EASY

In which will appear, to the great delight of the AUDIENCE,

BEANS, FLOUR, MEAL, CORN, WINTER WHEAT, (FOR SEED), DRIED APPLES, BACON, COFFEE, SUGAR, DRIED PEACHES, PRUNES, RICE, CHEESE, TEAS, CRACKERS, &c.

As an evidence of the popularity of the above COMEDY we need only refer the public to the

IMMENSE CROWDS which were swayed by its CHARMING EFFECT during its play in Atchison last winter.

We also take pleasure in referring to the unbounded and highly flattering opinions of its merits which it has everywhere elicited from the

CRITIQUES OF THE PRESS!
We now, at a GREAT SACRIFICE, bring before the PEOPLE OF JUNCTION CITY this dramatic composition, intended as it is to represent the lighter passions and actions of mankind, which are to be imitated in language, dress, and manner, by actors, for the entertainment of the spectators. The termination of the INTRIGUE is happy, and the

DESIGN IS AMUSEMENT!
After the above an intermission of one hour will be had to allow those making HEAVY PURCHASES time for dinner. Immediately after which we will "elevate the dry-goods" and present to the audience, as an AFTER-PIECE, the amusing farce of

MULTUM IN PARVO,

A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING!
The following being but a small proportion of various articles that will be exhibited:

Irish Linens, Silk Lace, Knitting Cotton, Swiss Muslin, Bleached Muslins, Jacobine Muslin, Cash, Grain Bags, Cambrics, Tassels, Hoop Skirts, Apron Checks, Suspenders, Combs, Belts, Buckskin Mittens, Napkins, Men's Boots, Men's Shoes, Boy's Boots and Shoes, Women's Shoes, Children's Shoes, Rubbers, Satchels, Flies, Table Cloths, Whips, Dimity, Shirt Bosoms, Men's and Boys' Hats, Elastic, Woven Hoods, Men's and Boys' Caps, Braids, Tape, Pins, Trunks, Buckskin Gloves, Work-Cotton, Twine, Woolen Yarn, Buttons, Men's & Boys' Clothing, Hardware, Queensware, Glass, Putty, Old Bourbon, Holland, Pure Wines & Brandies, Gin.

The Proprietors have no hesitation in guaranteeing the most perfect satisfaction to all who may visit our mammoth amphitheatre. Any person dissatisfied with any part of the performance will have his money refunded. None are expected to visit it except those in pursuit of the choicest, cheapest, largest, and most desirable Stock of Goods ever brought into Junction City.

TICKETS GRATIS, (TO BE HAD AT THE DOOR.)
FRONT SEATS RESERVED FOR LADIES.

DOORS OPEN AT 6—PERFORMANCES BEGIN AT 7.
STREETER & STRICKLER, Junction City, September 3, 1861.

Topeka Advertisements.
GILCHRIST & WILLIAMS, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Topeka, Kansas. OFFICE, TWO DOORS SOUTH OF MILLER'S HALL. LORENZO DOW JOHN G. OTIS. DOW & OTIS, ATTORNEYS, AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Topeka, Kansas. n1m3

TOPEKA HOUSE,
J. STEWART, Proprietor. KANSAS AVENUE, NEARLY OPPOSITE P. O., Topeka, Kansas. GOOD STABLE ACCOMMODATIONS attached. n1f

CRAIGUE & MOON,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN Foreign and Domestic Liquors, CIGARS AND TOBACCO, KANSAS AVENUE, OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, Topeka, Kansas.

J. C. MILLER, DEALER IN Groceries and Provisions,
KANSAS AVENUE, NEAR NINTH ST., Topeka, Kansas.

CHASE HOUSE,
ENOCH CHASE, Proprietor. TOPEKA, KANSAS.

THE ABOVE HOUSE HAVING UNDERGONE a thorough renovation, and being pleasantly and centrally located in this thriving city, travellers will find it a pleasant stopping place. n1f

Kellam Brothers, DEALERS IN DRUGS & MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE-STUFFS, &c., &c., &c.
ALSO AGENTS FOR ALL PATENT MEDICINES. CITY DRUG STORE, Topeka, Kansas.

LAWYERS & LAND AGENTS,
Topeka, Kansas.

ST. LOUIS REFERENCES—Messrs. Bryant & Hardcastle, Messrs. Green & Brothers, Messrs. J. Steaver & Co., Messrs. Wilson, Leveing & Waters, Messrs. Dunn, Seymour & Co., General Elihu Case, Troy, Bradford county, Pennsylvania. n13m

TAXES TAXES!
G. W. SAFF,
COUNTY CLERK OF SHAWNEE COUNTY, NOTARY PUBLIC, LEGAL CONVEYANCER, AND GENERAL BUSINESS AGENT, Topeka, Kansas.

WILL ATTEND TO ALL BUSINESS entrusted to him. Collections made and promptly returned. Taxes paid for non-residents; all letters addressed to him will meet prompt attention.

OFFICE, OVER THE POST OFFICE.

GEO. O. WILMARTH, Agt.
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

STATIONERY, BLANK, SCHOOL AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS, Periodicals,

WALL PAPER, BORDERING, &c., &c.,
Post Office Building, Kansas Avenue, Topeka, Kansas.

Eastern Publications received regularly and furnished to order.

NEW ERA IN BUSINESS!
F. W. GILES, Topeka, Kansas.

WILL DO ALL THINGS IN THE LINE of a GENERAL LAND AGENT, COLLECTING AGENT, OR INSURANCE BROKER,

guaranteeing HONESTY and FAIR DEALING with his Patrons NINE TIMES OUT OF TEN! What will you have? n1f

CITY DRUG STORE,
L. HILL, Proprietor.

WASHINGTON STREET, JUNCTION CITY. RESPECTFULLY CALLS THE ATTENTION of the public to his large and well-selected stock of

Drugs and Chemicals, PAINTS, DYE STUFFS, OILS, PERFUMERY, &c., &c.

Having largely increased his stock of late, he feels confident of satisfying every one who has anything in his line, as his assortment is not surpassed west of the Missouri River. He is also Agent for, and has a large stock of popular Patent Medicines of the day. A very fine stock of pure WINES and LIQUORS for medicinal purposes only. n1f Prescriptions carefully prepared, and all orders promptly attended to.

DANIEL MITCHELL, LAND AGENT, SURVEYOR, AND

CIVIL ENGINEER,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS.

LAND WARRANTS FOR SALE for Cash, and on time. Land Warrants located. Collections made and Taxes paid for non-residents. n1f

AYRES' MEDICINES, For Sale by HALL.

JAYNE'S MEDICINES, For Sale by HALL.

McLANE'S MEDICINES, For Sale by HALL.

HARPER, LESLIE, AND OTHER DRUGGISTS recn Weekly, for sale by HALL.